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Applicant: Lolayekar, Santosh C., et al.

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Title: Virtualization in a Storage Network

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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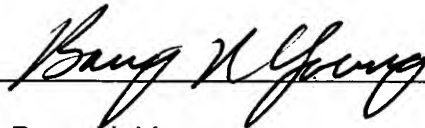
Dear Sir:

Applicants/Appellants' hereby petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a one (1) month extension of time to respond to the Final Rejection. The Final Rejection was mailed November 14, 2006. An Amendment After Final filed February 13, 2007 was not entered. This Petition extends the due date for the Response to March 14, 2007 and accompanies a Request for Continued Examination.

The fee for the one (1) month extension of time applicable to a Large Entity is enclosed.

Dated: March 14, 2007

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barry N. Young", is written over a horizontal line.

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